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SUBJECT: SWAPO LEADER TO ASK FOR HELP FROM CUBA IF SA DOES  
NOT LEAVE NAMIBIA

REF: LUSAKA 2130

IN AN INTERVIEW WITH TIMEYHPF ZAMBIA JOURNALIST, SWAPO  
LEADER SAM NUJOMA IS QUOTED AS SAYING THAT SWAPO WILL ASK  
FOR HELP FROM CUBA TO FORCE SOUTH AFRICA OUT OF NAMIBIA IF  
IT DOES NOT COMPLY WITH THE U.N. DEMAND TO LEAVE THE COUNTRY  
BY TUESDAY. NUJOMA IS REPORTED TO HAVE TOLD THE JOURNALIST  
THAT HE HAD ASKED FOR CUBAN MILITARY PERSONNEL TO TRAIN  
NAMIBIAN FREEDOM FIGHTERS. HE DID NOT ASK FOR CUBANS TO  
FIGHT IN NAMIBIA AS THEY DID IN ANGOLA HOWEVER. SWAPO WAS  
SEEKING TRAINING AND MATERIEL ASSISTANCE FROM ALL THE SOCIALIST  
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COUNTRIES AS WELL AS CUBA. IT WAS ALSO WILLING TO RECEIVE

HUMANITARIAN AID FROM WESTERN COUNTRIES. FINALLY, NUJOMA  
SAID SWAPO WOULD INTENSITY GUERRILLA WARFARE IN NAMIBIA AS  
A RESULT OF THE ASSISTANCE FROM CUBA AND THE SOVIETS.  
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